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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
AGENDA

For the Meeting to be held in the Cabinet Room of The White House on Thursday, November 5, 1959 from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

The Attorney General and the Secretary of Commerce are being invited to participate in the action on Item 1 below.

ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION

U. S. POLICY IN MAINLAND SOUTHEAST ASIA

(NSC 5809; OCB Report on NSC 5809, dated August 12, 1959; NSC Action No. 2127; Memos for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated October 12 and 19, 1959)

For consideration of the draft statement of U. S. policy on Singapore, prepared by the NSC Planning Board pursuant to NSC Action No. 2127-b as a revision of paragraphs 66-69 of NSC 5809, and of the Annex to NSC 5809 (transmitted by the reference memoranda of October 12, 1959); in the light of the views of the Joint Chiefs of Staff thereon, transmitted by the reference memoranda of October 19, 1959.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

ITEM 2 -- SIGNIFICANT WORLD DEVELOPMENTS AFFECTING U. S. SECURITY

For discussion in the light of an oral briefing on the subject by the Director of Central Intelligence.

THE SITUATION IN IRAQ (NSC 5820/1; NSC Actions Nos. 2068, 2074, 2078 and 2100; SNIE 36.2-4-59; NSC Action No. 2133)

For discussion of an oral report by the Secretary of State on the results of the re-appraisal of the situation in Iraq following the recent CENTO meeting, undertaken in accordance with NSC Action No. 2133-b by the interdepartmental group established pursuant to NSC Action No. 2068-b.

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ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION (Continued)

THE ATOMIC ENERGY PROGRAM

(NSC 5912)

For discussion of the report on the status of the atomic energy program as of June 30, 1959, prepared by the Atomic Energy Commission and transmitted as Part 3 of NSC 5912.